

Current instructions (Oct 6, 2017):

--Link to DW Maps, which has been folded into the GeoPlatform:

<https://geopub.epa.gov/DWWidgetApp/>

--Clicking on the link brings up a screen with a short paragraph describing DW Maps. After reading it, X-out the box to reveal the underlying map.

--In the Address field, enter either a street and city/state address or the coordinates, lat, long. Obtain coordinates by (previously) entering the street, city and state address into either Google or Bing Maps. Adding coordinates and clicking on the search icon (magnifying glass), two or three choices appear. Click on the one that says Y: <the latitude> X: <the longitude>.

--Zoom out to see more of the area. (A black dot appears at the coordinates you entered.)

--Click on the second icon from the left on the bottom of the screen—the layer list—to bring up the Layer List window.

--Click in the box to the left of the layer, Facilities Permitted to Discharge to Water, which turns the box blue and puts a white check inside it. At the same time, you may see a set of orange dots appear along a river, stream or lake on the map.

--The next important layer is Other Point Sources of Pollution. But before clicking on the box next to it, click on the twisty to the left of the box to generate a list of options. Click on the box(es) next to the point source(s) you want and then click on the box to the left of the layer title. If you click on the RCRA option, for example, you'll likely get a series of green triangles appearing on the map.

--A single click on any of the features that appeared on the map will bring up a pop-up with details about the facility. Clicking on "More info" at the bottom of the pop-up will yield information about violations and enforcement history.